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PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventor(s): Robert A. Cochran et al.

Application No.: 10/608,585

Filing Date: June 26, 2003

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 200310029-1

Confirmation No.: 8427

Examiner: Higa, Brendan Y

Group Art Unit: 2153

Title: STORAGE SYSTEM WITH LINK SELECTION CONTROL

Mail Stop Amendment
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- Response/Amendment
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- Petition to extend time to respond
 Supplemental Declaration

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	28	MINUS	34	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$210	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM + \$370 \$ 0						
EXTENSION FEE	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Month \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Month \$460	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Month \$1050	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Month \$1640		\$ 0
OTHER FEES \$						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$ 0						

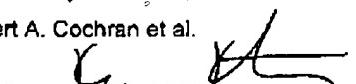
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A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
DATED MARCH 18, 2008

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated March 18, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring June 18, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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